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GANNON COLLEGE

ERIE, PENNSYLVANIA

We entered Gannon in the unnaturally quiet days preceding the outbreak of the present hostilities. Our freshman ranks were swollen with ex-G. I.'s, veterans of World War II, who sought an opportunity to further their education and to find their place in the society of a nation at peace. We have seen develop, in these momentous four years, yet another threat to world peace and to the way of life we all desire. Our nation, once more, has been compelled to arm herself against foreign enemies. Despite the ever present realization that not all of us will be able to begin, after graduation, the normal courses of life envisioned four short years ago, we have enjoyed our college years. Many of our friends have left our class to join the expanding Armed Forces of the country. Many of us will enter the service immediately after graduation. Our lives, like our fathers' before us, have been lived in the shadow of military necessity. What the future holds in store for us and for our nation, we cannot know. We can only hope and pray that future graduates will be free from the blight of war. Although the burden many of us must take up seems heavy, we are thankful for the pleasures of our life at Gannon. Let us proceed now into this book of cherished memories. . . . . .

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His Excellency, The Most Reverend
John Mark Gannon, D.D., J.C.D., L.L.D.
Chancellor of Gannon College

HISTORY OF GANNON

On November 3, 1944, the State Council of ducation approved a charter which brought annon College into existence. Issuance of the harter marked the successful culmination of the fforts of the Most Reverend John Mark annon, Bishop of Erie, Pennsylvania, and his ducational Counsellors to found an independent ty college which could serve the great number of young men in the tri-state area. Plans for the formation of such an institution had been of prime importance to Bishop Gannon since early in the 1920's.

The 1944 charter empowered the college to confer the bachelor of arts and bachelor of science degrees.

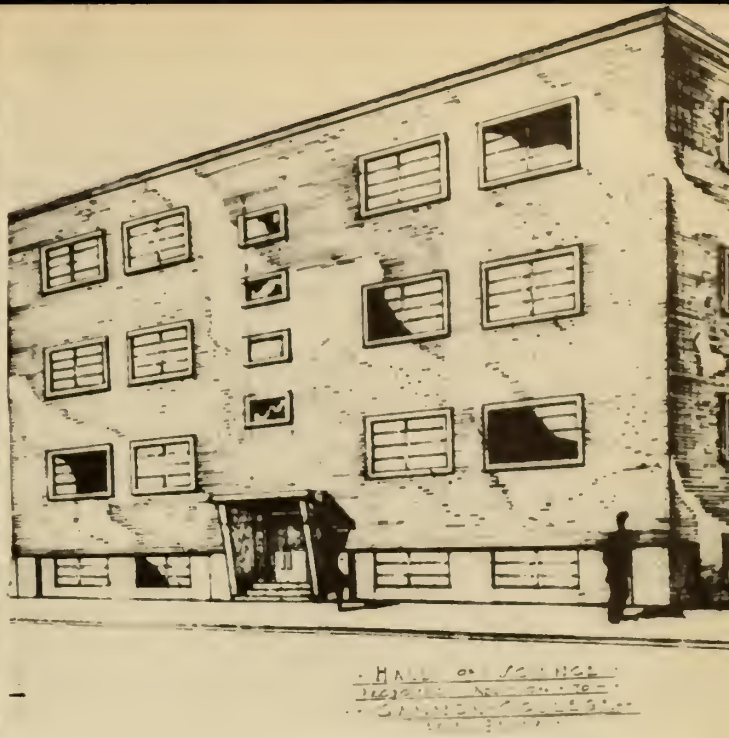
From rather humble beginnings, the physical plant of the college grew rapidly. Originally,

the former Strong mansion, in the heart of the city, was converted into the Administration Building, the keystone of the infant college. Another portion of the estate was transformed into the splendidly equipped science building, have made the new facilities important both to the college and to the city.

Attached to the Administration Building is the Library Building completed in 1947. The book collection has grown to over 30,000 volumes.

Downey Hall. In November of 1949 the Auditorium-Gymnasium was completed. The structure, which faces Perry Square, has a seating capacity of 3,500. Intercollegiate and intramural sports activities and community programs

The years since 1944 have seen the college expand to the west along residential West Sixth Street. Suttelle Hall, the R.O.T.C. Building, two private mansions—now faculty residence halls—and three freshman dormitories have been



purchased and refitted. In January of 1953 construction of a second Hall of Science began. The next decade will see the college grow to include the property now occupied by the Fisher Hotel; an imposing Student Union Building will be erected on the site.

In May of 1951 Gannon was accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. The extremely short period of time between the founding of the college and the accreditation was unique in Association annals.

REV. JOSEPH J. WEHRLE, S.T.D., L.L.D.

PRESIDENT

ADMINISTRATION

REV. WILFRID J. NASH, M.A., S.T.L.

Dean of the College

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Seated, l. to r.: Helen Stankiewicz Zand, A.B., LL.B.; Rev. J. J. Barr, S.T.L., M.A., Ph.D.; Richard L. Beyer, A.B., M.A., Ph.D.; John E. Waldron, A.B., M.A.; *Standing, l. to r.:* Rev. A. F. Crispo, S.T.L., Ph.D.; Rev. R. J. Hrascanec, S.T.L., S.T.D., B.Ph.; Rev. E. J. Caldwell, A.B., S.T.B., M.A.

Left to right: William M. Starrs, A.B., M.A.; J. C. Rowland, B.A., M.A.; C. R. Colvin, B.A., M.A.; G. Currier, B.S., M.L.

ENGLISH DEPT

JOHN E. WALDRON, M.A.

Dean of Instruction

NATURAL SCIENCE

Seated, l. to r.: James J. Freeman, B.S., M.S.; Louis C. Haughney, B.S.; Joseph H. Zipper, B.S., Ed.D.; Rev. B. M. Russell, A.B., M.S.; *Standing, l. to r.:* Herbert Holzen, Ph.D.; Rev. Addison Yehl, B.S., M.S.; Vincent P. Stouter, B.S., M.S.; Arthur H Cook, B.S.; William A. Schubert, B.S., M.A.

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BUSINESS

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Left to right: Rev. Louis H. Lorei, A.B., M.A., B.S.L.S.; Mary K. Heya, A.B., M.S.L.S.; Bertille Warner, B.A.; Rita Ann Nies, B.A., B.S.L.S.; Rev. C. J. Lubiak, A.B., S.T.B.

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Registrar

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William H. Latimer, B.S.; Rev. Thomas F. Griffin, A.B.; John B. Hynes, Ruth Seifert.

MAURICE R. SHOUP, B.A.

Director of Public Relations

CAFETERIA

Soup's on! Chow time in the Cafeteria.

SECRETARIES

Mary Young, Mrs. Mary Przezwicki, Patricia Keech.

Amiable Mrs. Zoltan Heya presides over the campus book store.

BOOK STORE

DEDICATION

ALONG with the coveted sheepskin and a trunkful of texts, we are leaving Gannon with many memories. They are fond memories of the friends that we have made, the pleasures of college life that we have tasted, and, above all, the deep impression that has been made upon all of us by one man.

All of the members of the faculty of our alma mater who aided us towards the attainment of our goals, are our friends. Among these fine men and women, however, one stands out as especially deserving of our affection and respect. His wisdom and kindliness, born of a radiant spirituality, have reached out and touched each one personally. In class, in our daily campus life, and in personal relationships his guidance and encouragement have eased over the rough spots and have made our stay at Gannon an experience we shall never forget.

It is with profound gratitude for his example and Christian understanding that we, the graduating class of '53 dedicate this book to the Rev. James W. Peter our Professor and friend.

SENIORS

Rev. Norbert J. Wolf, since he became a member of the faculty in the summer of 1949, has been active in both the administrative and professorial life of the college.

Over and above his manifold duties as Dean of Men, he devoted a great deal of his time to the task of being advisor to the Student Council and to our class. He exerted a steadying influence on the legislators and, by the way, on us. We owe him an especial debt of gratitude for the invaluable assistance he rendered us when we readied our Junior Prom.

Fr. Wolf received his A.B. from St. Mary's University and gained his master's degree in Mediaeval History at the Catholic University.

Left to right: Lloyd V. Morrow, Treas.; John E. McCarty, Pres.; Paul E. Snyder, Vice Pres.; Norbert A. Cyterski, Sec.

JOHN E. AUER
Erie, Pa. *"Jack"*

O. F. T. 1, 2
Glee Club 1

One of our more industrious workers and scholars. A full schedule has made it impossible for Jack to take his rightful place in campus life.

CLAUDE W. BALL
East Springfield, Pa.
"Claude"

The Veteran's administration's gift to the field of accounting. Claude has a bright future in the world of debits and credits.

JOHN W. BARBER
Erie, Pa. *"Jack"*

O.F.T., 1, 2
I.C.G. 3, 4

On the surface a quiet and retiring young man, Jack has selflessly devoted his energies to many phases of college life.

DAVID BECK
Erie, Pa. *"Dave"*

O.F.T. 1, 2
Provost Corps 3, 4
Rifle Team, 2, 3, 4

A sharpshooter deluxe, that's our Dave. His accurate aim and steady hand have led the ROTC Rifle Team to many victories.

RAYMOND J. BIANCHI
Erie, Pa. *"Ray"*

Treas. Junior Class
O.F.T. 1, 2
Provost Corps 3, 4
I.C.G., 1, 2, 3, 4

Ray's charm and wit will be invaluable assets when he gains his wings as a legal eagle.

JAMES R. BLAKELY
Erie, Pa. *"Jimmy"*

O.F.T. 1, 2
Provost Corps 3, 4

A siniling, funloving guy—that describes Jimmy to a "T". With his carefree manner he will always see the bright side of life.

DONALD R. BLENNER
Erie, Pa. *"Blackie"*

Quiet, industrious, intellectual—that's our "Blackie". Chemical Engineering has held Don's interest here at Gannon, and will probably continue to do so in the future.

EUGENE E. BLYSTONE
Erie, Pa. *"Gene"*

This quiet scholar came to Gannon after serving with the "regulars." We predict that Gene, blessed with a high degree of intelligence, will make his mark in life.

LEE F. BOWERSOX
Erie, Pa. *"Lee"*

O.F.T. 1, 2
Provost Corps 3, 4
Intra-mural Basketball

A fellow on whom you can always depend, whether for help on activities or as a fourth at pinochle.

DONALD J. BRUNNER
Erie, Pa. *"Bugs"*

I.C.G. 1, 2, 3, 4
O.F.T. 1, 2
Provost Corps 3, 4
Student Council 2, 3, 4
Junior Class President

A fine leader and a capable addition to "Lawyers of America, Inc."

STANLEY J. BUDNY
Erie, Pa. *"Stan"*

Stan is well-known for his aquatic prowess. We are certain that this champion will reach success in life.

JOSEPH R. BURKHART
Erie, Pa. *"Joe"*

Four years at Gannon have brought Joe a host of friends. His affable manner and winning ways will make him a highly capable businessman in the Erie of tomorrow.

EARL W. BUSH
Erie, Pa. *"Earl"*

Investment Trust Fund
sec. 4

This tall, dark, and distinguished "young" man has worked full-time throughout his college career, but he has still achieved superior marks.

JOHN CALLAHAN
Erie, Pa. *"John"*

This handsome Irishman was one of our more noted "night owls." Attending night school during most of his college career, John's energy was expended on being a good student.

ALEX F. CHROBAK
Sharon, Pa. *"Alex"*

Co-captain, Basketball
Basketball, 4 years
Golf, 3 years

Alex is a workman-like fellow in the classroom as well as on the basketball court.

LAWRENCE CIPRIANI
Erie, Pa. *"Larry"*

Outstanding Cadet S. C.
Provost Corps, 3, 4
Gannon Bowling League

Gannon's loss is the Army's gain. Larry has directed most of his efforts toward success in the Armed Forces.

NORMAN J. CUTRI
Erie, Pa. *"Norm"*

Provost Corps 3, 4
Distinguished Military
Student, ROTC Summer
Camp 1952

Never one to take it easy, Norm received his commission, was awarded a diploma and found a mate all in a few months.

NORBERT A. CYTERSKI
Erie, Pa. *"Cy"*

Spanish Club V. Pres. 3
Secretary Senior Class
Student Council 3
Gannon-Knight 3, 4
Lance 4
Bowling League 3
Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4

Always a winner, in sports or in activities.

LAWRENCE A. D'AMBROSIO
Erie, Pa. *"Larry"*

Rifle Team 2, 3
Gannon Bowling League
Provost Corps 3, 4

Quiet and capable, Larry has earned the friendship and respect of his classmates.

ROBERT DE MARCO
Erie, Pa. *"Patsy"*

Bob is one of our February graduates who has already found gainful employment. His reputation as a businessman is certain to grow in the years ahead.

CHARLES F. D'RENZ
Erie, Pa. *"Chuck"*

Provost Marshal-P. C.
Gannon-Knight
O.F.T.
Mil. Ball—Gen. Chair.
Spanish Club
Bowling League
Intra-mural Basketball

Chuck and his "sax" will never be forgotten.

ANGELO DeSANTO
Erie, Pa. *"Ange"*

A personable chap, he can always be depended upon to do his part. His magnetic personality has won him many friends in the last four years, and should continue to do so wherever he goes.

JOHN L. DONOVAN
Erie, Pa. *"Jack"*

Provost Corps 3, 4
Gannon-Knight 1, 2, 3, 4
Feature Editor 4

A poor man's Benchley, Jack regaled us in his senior year with G. K. stories. A level-headed fellow, he should "cope" with success in a big way.

DAVID W. FASSETT, Jr.
Corry, Pa. *"Dave"*

An easy-going manner and a fervent interest in things historical are combined in this future teacher.

CARL S. FILIPOWSKI
Erie, Pa. *"Carl"*

A guy with a quiet hello, a quick smile, and few words—that's Carl. His over hand fast-ball was an important factor in the success of the Gannon varsity nine.

J. ROBERT FINNECY
Oil City, Pa. *"Finney"*

S.I.T. 3, 4
Basketball 3, 4
Lance 4
Student Council 4

Bob is one of the many "Oil City Men" who have distinguished themselves scholastically and in the field of collegiate athletics.

LAWRENCE H. FUCHS
Erie, Pa. *"Larry"*

Larry and his drums have added the beat to many of Gannon's social activities. A career in accounting is his immediate goal and we will give odds that he is slated for success.

LAWRENCE GALLA
Erie, Pa. *"Larry"*

Football 1, 2

A quiet fellow, but a bruising lineman on Gannon's powerful nationally known eleven.

ROBERT F. GARVEY
Oil City, Pa. *"Bob"*

S.I.T. 3, 4
S.A.A.
Lance 4
Gannon-Knight 1, 2, 3, 4
Editor-in-Chief 4

Bob spends most of his spare time working on the G-K, and it is primarily due to his efforts that we have so good a paper.

JOSEPH V. GDANIEC
Erie, Pa. *"Joe"*

O.F.T. 1, 2
Provost Corps 3, 4

Joe's ready wit and glib tongue should serve him in good stead in his career in business.

CHARLES A. GEERTSON
Corry, Pa. *"Chuck"*

Football 1, 2

It was the play of men like Chuck that gained for Gannon the gridiron prominence which it enjoyed until this sport was dropped. For this he will always be remembered.

ROGER A. GEIER
Erie, Pa. *"Rog"*

Football 1, 2
S.I.T. 3, 4

From the vast knowledge he has gained in the S.I.T., Rog hopes to build the wealth he has acquired as an accountant into a retirement fund.

ANTHONY C. GIGLIOTTI
Punxsutawney, Pa. *"Tony"*

Gannon-Knight 1, 2
Spanish Club, 1, 2
Science Club 4

This intellectual will do well for both himself and Gannon in his chosen field of medicine.

SALVATORE L. GIORDANO
Erie, Pa. *"Sam"*

G.K.—news & sports ed.
Shakespeare Club 3
Lucians 4
I.C.G. 4
Student Pub. Coordinator
Junior Prom Committee
Intramural Basketball

An aspiring English scholar.

DONALD W. GRIESHOBER
Erie, Pa. *"Don"*

Bowling League 1, 2, 3, 4
B. L. Sec.-Treas. 4
Intercoll. Bowl. Tourney

An appetite for hard work and a will to succeed have aided Don to complete an enviable college record.

JOHN HANNA
Erie, Pa. *"Jack"*

Spanish Club Pres. 3
Spanish Club 1, 2, 3, 4

A true gentleman and scholar, John has been one of our most active classmates despite his heavy working schedule. Success is yours, Jack.

KENNETH HARRIS
Erie, Pa. *"Ken"*

Bowling League 1, 2, 3
Intramural Softball 2, 3
Provost Corps 3

We will always remember Ken—"the long drink of water." Able in every respect, a bright future lies ahead for him.

DONALD R. HEIMBURGER
Erie, Pa. *"Don"*

A quiet man is generally a scholarly one. Don, with his family responsibilities, was not a part of social activities but his accounting genius was very much a part of campus life.

PETER HO
China *"Pete"*

Vice Pres. I.R.C. 3
I.C.G. 1, 2

Pete's refreshing manner and delightful sense of humor have indeed made him an outstanding member of the Class of '53.

ROBERT J. IZBICKI
Erie, Pa. *"Bob"*

Science Club 4
Dean's List

A career in medicine is the goal which Bob has set for himself. His patience and understanding fill prime requisites of this profession.

CASIMIR C. KRAUZA
Erie, Pa. *"Casey"*

Provost Corps 3, 4
Bowling League 4

Casey will always be remembered for his "trail-blazing" expeditions to Vines, and the pinochle and accordian prowess he has shown. His easy smile and quick wit will be sorely missed on campus.

RICHARD W. LANE
Erie, Pa. *"Dick"*

Dick was "lend-leased" by the Air Corps to the college. His absence will be felt when he is recalled to active duty as a Captain in Uncle Sam's "winged division."

THEODORE W. LEPICH
Erie, Pa. *"Ted"*

Basketball 2
Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4
Junior Prom Committee
Lance 4

The newspapers of the not too distant future will praise Theodore W. Lepich, noted historian, lecturer and man about town.

DAVID LESTER
Erie, Pa. *"Gooch"*

Dean's List

"Gooch" is known as a notorious shoe salesman who specializes only in ladies' shoes. His above average mentality should insure a bright future for him.

JOHN E. MC CARTY
Erie, Pa. *"Mac"*

Senior Class President
Who's Who 3, 4. Lance Ed.
Vice-Pres. Junior Class
V. P. Student Council 4
V. P. S.I.T. 3, 4
Co-Chairman Junior Prom
Bowling League 2, 3, 4
Secretary-Treasure 3

Gannon's King of Success!

JAMES MC CULLOUGH
Punxsutawney, Pa. *"Mac"*

N.F.C.C.S. 1, 2, 3, 4
C.S.A. 1, 2
Glee Club 2, 3
Bishop Gannon Award 3
Battalion Cmdr. 3
Who's Who 4

Mac's commendable work in the CSA will prove valuable in the priesthood.

WILLIAM P. MC FADDEN
Erie, Pa. *"Willy"*

O.F.T. 1, 2
Glee Club 2, 3

A fellow who will never want for a host of friends. Serious minded, but the possessor of a subtle sense of humor.

EDMUND MALITS
Erie, Pa. *"Ed"*

History has been Ed's chief interest at school. His concentrated effort in this field should lead to a successful teaching career.

JOSEPH U. MALLON
Curwensville, Pa. *"Joe"*

Calm, cool, and collected, this well-read business major could easily write his own text for Gannon's Business Administration courses. Success will surely be his.

JAMES F. MALTHANER
Erie, Pa. *"Molly"*

Bowling League 3
Dean's List

The kid with the crew-cut has made himself a part of campus life with his zany antics. However, a prominent spot on the Dean's List testifies to real scholastic ability.

DANIEL J. MANUCCI
Erie, Pa. *"Steve"*

Student Council 3
O.F.T. 1, 2
Provost Corps 3, 4
Gannon-Knight 2, 3

This Second Lieutenant, wherever he goes or whatever he undertakes, is certain to gain the best things in life.

LUTHER R. MANUS, Jr.
Erie, Pa. *"Luke"*

O.F.T. 1, 2
Provost Corps 3, 4

"Luke," one of our ROTC candidates, always had a friendly "back-breaking" pat on the shoulder for his many friends. This congenial chap will go far.

CHARLES E. MARTHINSEN
Erie, Pa. *"Chuck"*

I.R.C. 1, 2, 3, 4. Dean's List
P.A.I.R.C. Pres. Lucians 2
M.A.I.R.C. Treas. Debate 4
I.C.G. 1, 2, 3, 4. Lance 4
Gannon-Knight 1, 2, 3, 4
Editor-in-Chief 4
Who's Who 3, 4. P.C. 3, 4
N.F.C.C.S. Jr.-Sr. Delegate
Shakespeare Club 3

Mr. College Himself.

RAYMOND MATLOCK
Erie, Pa. *"Ray"*

A career in the field of Psychology is Ray's chief goal in life. We anticipate a lot of action from this man of few words.

H. VINCENT MAYS
Erie, Pa. *"Vinnie"*

Vinnie's sales ability has kept his business-like employers at Koehlers content and has made his education possible.

ARTHUR F. MIDDLETON
Erie, Pr. *"Art"*

Glee Club 1, 2; ICG 1, 2
Student Council 1, 2
Lance 4; Gannon-Knight 1
Spanish Club 2, 3
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Capt. 3, 4

Art's mastery of basketball and flair for poetry are well-known.

C. RICHARD MILLER
Erie, Pa. *"Dick"*

Dick is a consciencious student of whom Gannon can be proud. His ability in accounting will be welcomed by the business world.

MICHAEL J. MINNAUGH
Erie, Pa. *"Mike"*

Bowling League
Intramural Basketball

A stalwart in the bowling league, a tough man on the basketball court and a tried and true coke salesman, that's Mike.

CARL MINZENBURGER, Jr.
Erie, Pa. *"Buck"*

Like his father, Carl has a knack for personnel management work. He should find a rewarding position in his post-collegiate years.

B. DALE MONAHAN
Erie, Pa. *"Beetle"*

Student Investment Trust
Sec'y-Treas. 3, Pres. 4
Lance 4, Photo Editor
Gannon-Knight Photog. 1

Banking is his work and photography his hobby. We can be sure both will be fruitful for Dale.

BENJAMIN MORGAN
Erie, Pa. *"Ben"*

Ability, confidence, and maturity of mind will enable Ben to overcome the challenges of life.

LLOYD V. MORROW
Erie, Pa. *"Pat"*

Class Treasurer 4
Lance Bus. Mgr. 4
Gannon-Knight 4
I.C.G. 4
Student Investment 3, 4
Intramural Basketball 1

While raising funds for the Lance, Pat demonstrated extraordinary business acumen.

ROBERT B. MULLEN
Pittsburgh, Pa. *"Cat"*

Student Council 3, 4
Lance 4, Chairman 3
I.C.G. Treasurer 4
Student Invest. Pres. 3
Spanish Club 3

Many campus activities owe no small measure of success to this hustler.

JOHN E. NELSON
Erie, Pa. *"Jack"*

A willing slave to the greats of literature, Jack aspires to open new intellectual vistas for English students of the future.

RICHARD L. NELSON
Erie, Pa. *"Rich"*

Rembrandt has nothing on this senior who has been employed as a painter deluxe while attending Gannon. Using his talent to finance his education, Rich majored in accounting.

SAMUEL J. PIZZO
Erie, Pa. *"Sam"*

Intramural Softball

Sam came to Gannon four years ago to play football and remained after the sport was dropped. A quiet, capable worker, he will carry his efficient manner with him into a business career.

AUGUSTIN POPP
Erie, Pa. *"Gus"*

I.C.G. 1, 2, 3, 4. Pres. 3
Spanish Club Pres. 3
Bowling Club Pres. 2, 3, 4
Student Coun. Pres. 3, 4
Sophomore Class Pres.
Who's Who 3, 4. G-K 3, 4

Gannon's "Mr. President," outstanding in both scholarship and activities.

ROBERT J. PRZYBYSZEWSKI
Erie, Pa. *"Preski"*

Gannon-Knight 1, 2, 3
Cross Country 1

One of Gannon's top cross country competitors. The "strides" that served him so well on the team will carry him to success as an English professor.

RICHARD J. REILLY
Erie, Pa. *"Dick"*

Junior Class Secretary
Bowling League 5
Battalion Executive 4
Provost Corps 3, 4
Co-Chairman Junior Prom

Dick has two outstanding qualities—a superb intellect and the will to win.

DAVID J. REYNOLDS
Erie, Pa. *"Dave"*

Science Club 3, 4
Dean's List

This industrious student is well suited to a career in science. The possessor of an analytical mind, Dave's future renown is virtually assured.

LEE RONALD ROEBACK
Erie, Pa. *"Ron"*

The insurance men in Erie can look forward to rough competition when shrewd "Ron" projects his talents into the business world. His happy-go-lucky nature makes him a friend of all.

RICHARD D. SCHAFFNER
Erie, Pa. *"Dick"*

Gannon-Knight 2, 3
Provost Corps 3, 4

An emigre from Penn State, Dick plunged wholeheartedly into extracurricular activities and brightened campus life considerably.

GEORGE SCHILLER
Erie, Pa. *"George"*

Spanish Club 1, 2, 3, 4

Those most enjoyable stag parties by "El Club Espanol" were made possible through the endeavor of its capable president, George Schiller.

DOMINIC P. SEMENTELLI
Erie, Pa. *"Dom"*

Football 1, 2

The nation's business circles will welcome this ex-gridder into their midst. He will be an excellent addition to any firm.

FELIX M. SCHULTZ
Erie, Pa. *"Felix"*

A scholar through and through, Felix had to compile credits attending night school. His boundless energy drove him to high academic achievement.

FRANCIS W. SKEABICK
Erie, Pa. *"Skip"*

Experience as an agent for the Retail Credit Association, coupled with a fine business sense, will make Skip's name one which business competitors will respect.

PAUL E. SNYDER
McKeesport, Pa. *"Pablo"*

Vice Pres. Spanish Club
Vice Pres. Senior Class
Basketball 3, 4
Co-Editor Lance
Student Council 4
Baseball 1

Friendliness and a sense of humor combine to enhance this English major's personality.

DWIGHT R. TIMMONS
Pittsburgh, Pa. *"Dutch"*

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Debating Club 4

"Dutch" is a man of many talents; a star cager, an above-average student, a casanova, and the top story teller on campus. Political Science is his major.

RICHARD SOLLINGER
Erie, Pa. *"Dick"*

A friendly, personable fellow, Dick is one of those solid citizens who make life in college a real pleasure.

ROMAN J. STODOLSKI
Erie, Pa. *"Roman"*

Roman's college career has been terminated by graduation with a major in accounting and a commission in the Army. Reliability and steadfastness are his major assets.

JOSEPH T. STRICEK
Curwensville, Pa. *"Joe"*

Spanish Club 3, 4

The little man with the big glasses dragging a guitar and an amplifier to the commons room is Joe Stricek—always willing and able to present top-notch entertainment.

JAMES L. SULLIVAN
Erie, Pa. *"Sully"*

Lance 4

Despite rumors to the contrary, "Sully" is not manager of the Boston Store. His bouyant personality, however, earmarks him for such a position in coming years.

JAMES M. THEOBALD
Erie, Pa. *"Jim"*

Spanish Club 2, 3
Provost Corps 3, 4
Bowling League

Quiet, unassuming, and always ready to work hard, Jim's talents as an accountant will be eagerly sought.

GERALD T. UHT
Erie, Pa. *"Jerry"*

Lance 4

Jerry is one of the more dashing figures about the Gannon and Mercyhurst campuses. With his college career behind him, he intends to trade his classroom pallor for the tan of the baseball diamond.

EDWARD P. WESTERLING
Erie, Pa. *"Wes"*

Basketball 1, 2, 4
Golf 1, 2, 3, 4

On the sports field or in the classroom, "Wes" has always been a natural. History students will benefit from his talents.

RICHARD M. WILCZYNSKI
Erie, Pa. *"Dick"*

Spanish Club 3, 4

A career in accounting awaits Dick; one which he will undoubtedly pursue as faithfully as he has pursued his studies at Gannon.

STANLEY J. WITKOWSKI
Erie, Pa. *"Stan"*

C.S.A. 1, 2
Glee Club 2

"Stan" is the man with the rugged build and the friendly nature. A math major, he will go far in the world of science.

JAMES M. YADESKI
Erie, Pa. *"Dork"*

Glee Club

"Dork" consistently has been an honor student, who, nevertheless, has participated in all phases of extracurricular life.

HISTORY OF THE CLASS

As graduates, we of the class of '53 can look back over the past four years with a sense of pride and contentment. They have been happy, eventful years. During this time we have been part of a growing college—an institution which, in less than a decade, has established itself among the better institutions of higher education in the nation.

A number of important strides forward taken by the college were taken since 1949, when the majority of us entered Gannon.

We remember the nationally famous football teams of 1949 and 1950. We rejoiced with our undefeated '49 team and hoped to see Gannon become a real gridiron threat in the years to come. We remember, with regret, the circumstances which led to the dissolution of the team and the dropping of the sport from among college activities.

During our years at Gannon, we have seen the Golden Knights become a team to be reckoned with on the major basketball courts of the area.

The physical growth of the college has encouraged us in our deep pride. We entered a college restricted to but several buildings. We graduate from a school which embraces facilities in several sections of the city.

We are proud too of the many members of our class who, since our freshman year, have been leaders in campus life, in the clubs, the ROTC, the intra-mural athletics programs, and other college activities, many of which began during our stay at Gannon. We, in fact, witnessed the birth of the Spanish and Chess clubs, the Debating Society, and the Student Investment Trust Fund, among others.

With graduation we completed the practical portion of our lives at Gannon. Not one of us, however, will ever think of himself as anything other than a Gannonite—Class of '53.

Going to study?

Under the Georgia sun!

Two B.M.O.C.

Three of Gannon's "old salts" man their battle stations.

My, what a beard!

Razorless?

JUNIORS

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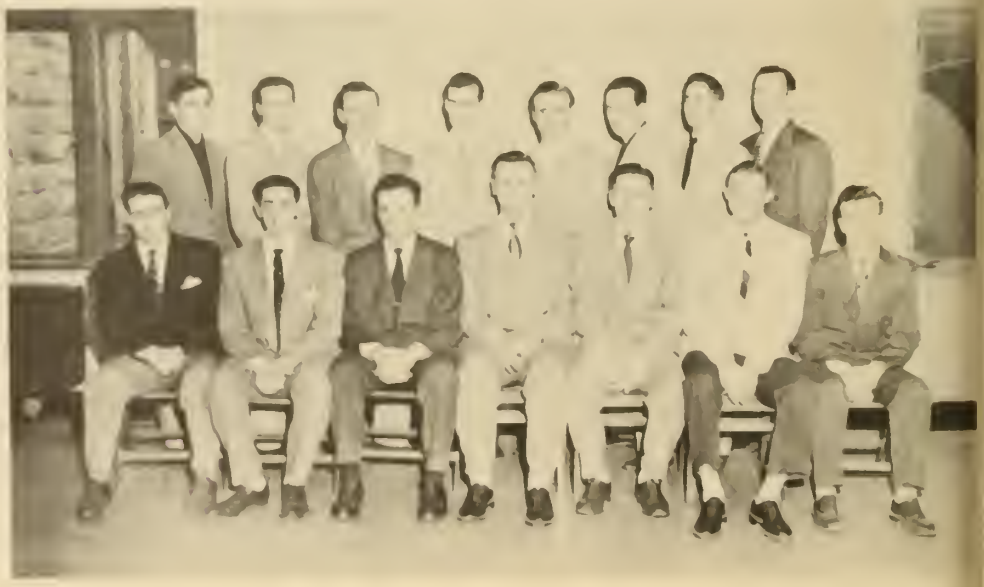
JUNIOR CLASS
ADVISOR

REV. ADDISON YEHL, M.S.

Left to Right: J. Salvia, Treas.; T. Malloy, Pres.; G. Carlotti, Vice Pres.; R. Ward, Sec.

Seated: D. Herttua, S. Mioduszwski, J. Lorei, B. Freiwald and J. Archer. *Standing:* J. Tarbell, D. Reichel, D. Becker, S. Powell, J. Dill, and C. Burgoyne.

Seated: R. Pietropaolo, B. Bujalski, J. Pilewski, J. Kazzenski, R. Kotoski, B. Lander, and A. Desimone. *Standing:* G. Pede, J. Gilliland, J. Metzler, John Dowling, B. Guanciale, B. Dowling, R. Francis, and A. Fern.



Seated: A. Arduini, P. Kraus, T. Malloy, G. Carlotti, A. Pivetta, J. Carr.
Standing: L. Lawson, M. Pecoraro, A. Toffi, W. Beyer, R. Held, R. Lorigan.

SOPHOMORES

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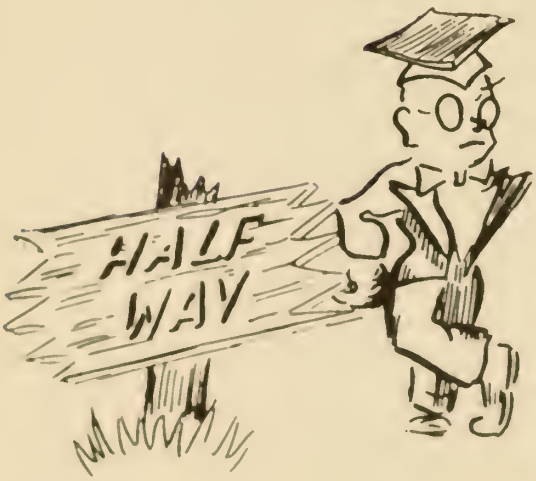

SOPHOMORE CLASS
ADVISOR

REV. EDWARD Q. FRANZ, Ph.D.

Left to right: R. Francis, Vice-Pres.; C. Verdecchia, Pres.; E. Milewski, Sec.; P. Kaspick. Treas.

Seated: M. Miczo, S. Cieslak, J. Singer, R. Strub, H. Langmyer, H. Kanyar. *Standing:* R. Young, J. Tingley, R. Madonia, W. Toflinski, R. Whipple, A. Gagnon.

Seated: A. Jesensky, J. Knight, F. Marcella, F. Seifert, H. Elwell. *Standing:* P. Karg, N. Schuhwerk, D. Barren, T. Williams, G. Hinz, G. Hesch.

Seated: C. Verdecchia, P. Kaspick, J. DeVecchio, L. Notarianni. *Standing:* F. Holodnak, E. Milewski, C. Kraus, R. Haibach, F. Villella.

FRESHMEN

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FRESHMAN CLASS
ADVISOR

REV. JOHN P. SCHANZ, M.A.

Left to right: T. Pianka, Vice-Pres.; L. Latimer, Sec.; J. Toohey, Pres.; A. Marcello, Treas.

Seated: J. Mangus, P. Moran, J. Martin, P. Karg, F. Mszanowski.
Standing: J. Foht, J. Makowski, J. Toohey, E. Olszewski, R. Luckey.

Seated: E. Allgeier, G. Stark, D. Mitcham, R. Grignol, L. Moriarty.
Standing: J. Proctor, J. Wilson, C. Mszanowski, P. Schultz, G. Hohn, J. Daley.

Seated: T. Dudenhoefer, G. Farrell, E. Cutri, L. Raub, A. Gamble.
Standing: C. Curtiss, F. Takach, H. Davis, K. Gardiner, A. Benedik, C. Petronio.

Seated: R. Hogan, A. Roberts, M. Caessal, R. McLean, L. Notarianni.
Standing: G. Drushel, D. Leibold, T. Loftus, O. Murray, W. Fries.

Seated: T. Wygant, J. DiGiorgio, G. Gigliotti, V. Sauers, J. Noble, T. Li. *Standing:* D. Finnecy, J. McNamara, R. McGuire, R. Case, M. Shadeck, L. Akerly, J. Franscowski.

RESERVE OFFICERS TRAINING CORPS

ST. MARK'S SEMINARY

R. O. T. C.

PMS&T AND STAFF: *Seated*, Maj. W. A. Walsworth, PMS&T; Capt. J. R. Walpole, Ass't PMS&T. *Standing*, M/Sgt. R. L. Roberts, M/Sgt. G. M. Crimmel, Sgt. H. R. James.

BATTALION FORMATION

The life military . . .

. . . with a social side.

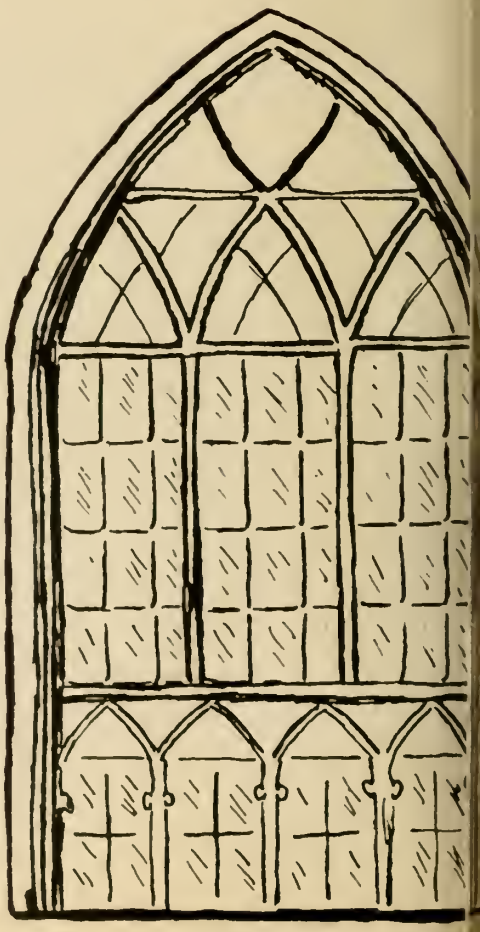
Corpsman's goal—commissioning ceremony.

THE SEMINARIANS

Preparing for Holy Mass.

Talking things over.

Rosary Hour—St. Marks

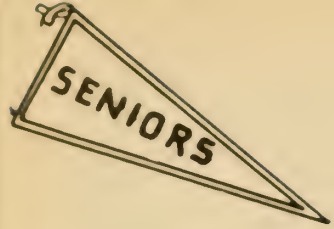


Food for the "soul"

Higher Education

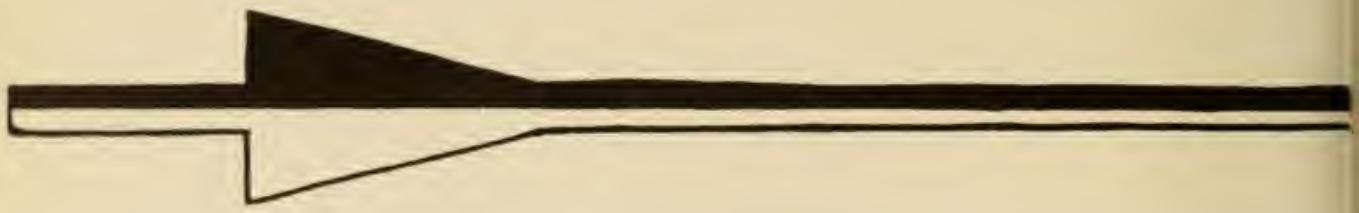
Recreation

. . . and food for the "body".

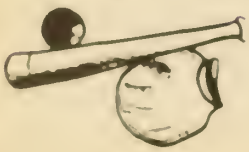


C. S. A.

ORGANIZATIONS



Demosthenes Society



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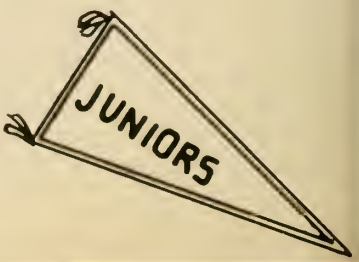

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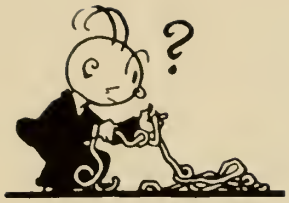
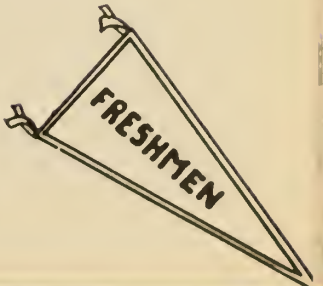


S. I. T.

Gannon-Knight

I. C. G.



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OUR STUDENT PUBLICATION

G A N N O N

K N I G H T

EDITORS: L. to R.: Robert Garvey, Charles Marthinsen. *Standing:* Raymond Francis, Jack Donovan, John Knight, Fred Bliss, Hube Davis. Advisor Maurice Shoup.

The GANNON-KNIGHT is the official student weekly newspaper and almost as old as the College itself.

The publication features news items of interest to faculty, students, alumni and friends of the school; editorials, humorous prose and verse, as well as more serious columns on music, drama, and literature.

WRITERS: L. to R. Seated: Joseph Daley, Angelo Arduini, Jerome Singer, Jack Carr. *Standing:* James Toohey, Leonard Moriarty, Lloyd Morrow, Doug Goodman, Thomas Briggs, Ted Wygant, George Stark.

STUDENT INVESTMENT TRUST

Left to Right: Lloyd Morrow, Robert Mullen, Robert Finnecy, Robert Kotoski, Lawrence Friewald, William Friewald, Charles English, Daniel Meahl, Dale Monahan, Robert Garvey, John McCarty.

An organization made up of business students who have a desire to learn the practical methods of buying and selling stocks and bonds. It is an on-the-spot method of dealing in investments. The group operates with $5,000 capital, which has been donated by Edward Lamb.

SEATED: John McCarty, Dale Monahan, Charles English, Daniel Meahl. *STANDING:* Rev. Thomas Griffin, Mr. John Susko, Advisors.

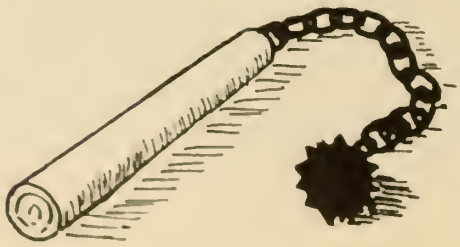
EDWARD LAMB
Founder of the Trust Fund

INTERCOLLEGIATE CONFERENCE ON GOVERNMENT

SEATED, L. to R.: John McCarty, Douglas Goodman, Angelo Arduini, Paul Kraus, John Knight, William Collins, Charles Marthinsen. *STANDING, L. to R.:* Eldie Dickey, Salvatore Giordano, John Barber, Raymond Bianchi, Donald Brunner, Robert Mullen, Lloyd Morrow, Abraham Tenebaum, John Mangus, Joseph Proctor, Thad. Paszkowski, Bennie Guanciale.

SEATED: Paul, Kraus, John Knight. *STANDING:* Robert Mullen, John Mangus.

"Our purpose is not to preach; nor even to teach, but merely a means whereby students may learn together how their government operates."



Kenneth Momeyer
Guest Speaker

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

LEFT TO RIGHT: James Beveridge, Angelo Arduini, Thomas McCormack, Walter Nagorski, Thomas Pianca, Walter Sillars, Jude Shanahan, James Nuber, Charles Marthinsen, William Kirk, Rev. Dr. J. J. Barr, Advisor; Stephen Lukasik.

I. R. C.—Affiliated with the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, the college organization participates actively in regional and sub-regional meetings sponsored by the parent organization.

The members participate in discussions related to international affairs, and at times invite men to speak, who are well known for their knowledge of present international controversial affairs.

SEATED, L. to R.: Rev. Dr. J. J. Barr, Advisor; James Beveridge, Jude Shanahan. *STANDING, L to R.:* Angelo Arduini, Thomas McCormack.

SEATED: William Friewald, Angelo Arduini, Norbert Walczak, George Schiller. *STANDING:* Charles Hasenhuettl, Albert Roberts, James Beveridge, Eron DeLeon Soto, Advisor Joseph Stricek, James Metzler.

SEATED: George Schiller, James Beveridge. *STANDING:* Charles Hasenhuettl, Eron DeLeon Soto, Norbert Walczak.

SPANISH CLUB

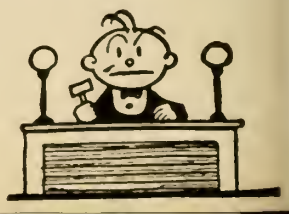
Founded in 1948 to provide a medium for conversation in the Spanish language, promote Spanish culture, and increase interest in Hispanic-American relations.

THE STUDENT COUNCIL

SEATED, L. to R.: Jerome Singer, Thomas Malloy, Charles Verdecchia, Augustin Popp, John McCarty, Stephen Lukasik, Robert Finnecy. *STANDING, L. to R.:* Rev. Norbert Wolf, Advisor; John Dowling, Paul Kraus, Arthur Jasensky, Paul Snyder, John Knight, Francis Mszanowski, James Toohey, Thomas Loftus, Thomas Dudenhoefer.

OFFICERS, *L. to R.:* Thomas Malloy, Charles Verdecchia, Augustin Popp, John McCarty.

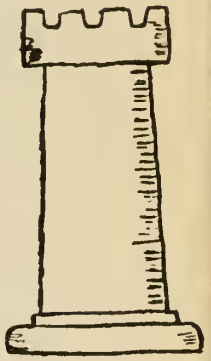
THE GOVERNING BODY OF GANNON



CHESS CLUB

SEATED: Dr. Hrascanec, J. Shanahan, J. Singer, A. Fearn. *STANDING:* J. Wilson, J. Knight, D. Goodman, Fr. Franz.

The Chess Club is a new comer at Gannon, having been started in the Fall of 1952. Under the able guidance of Fr. Franz, this organization has grown to be one of our most popular activities.



SCIENCE

SEATED: M. Barrett, N. Schuhwerk, R. Richel, R. Curtis, S. Budney. *STANDING:* J. Martin, J. Singer, W. Kirk, R. Izbicki, A. Fearn, A. Gigliotti, Mr. Schubert.

Started in 1951, the membership is open to all students interested in science. It aims to broaden the members minds in the theory and practice of science as it interests them.

SHIELD ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

OFFICERS: J. Dowling, R. Dowling, Rev. Addison Yehl, Advisor; G. Hesch, T. Williams.

The main purpose of this club is the betterment of the minor sports program in the college. It works to build teams in such sports as: volleyball, tennis, golf, ping-pong, and intramural sports. This is the school's newest organization, having been founded in the second semester of '53. Much credit belongs to it for the success of this year's sports night.

SEATED: E. Walsh, J. Martin, L. Ryan, A. Pivetta, A. Toffia, T. Dudenhoefer, R. Held. *STANDING:* J. Dowling, S. Cieslak, H. Davis, F. Takach, J. Brown, R. Garvey, H. Elwell, J. Gilliland, W. Beyer, G. Hesch, R. Ward, T. Williams, Rev. Addison Yehl.

CATHOLIC STUDENT ACTION

Its purpose is to bring together the Catholic members of the student body for discussion and for cooperation in activities. The program is one of information through guest speakers and discussion. The activities are concerned primarily with worship.

OFFICERS: C. Schmitt, J. McCullough, P. DeSante, C. Kraus.

SEATED: W. Cici, T. McCormack, C. Schmitt, J. McCullough, P. DeSante, C Kraus.
STANDING: R. Francis, L. Notarianni, J. Shanahan, T. Vinca, W. Friewald, J. Martin, R. McGuire, J. Fornal, C. Burgoyne, D. Dymski.

PROVOST CORPS

SEATED: J. Beveridge, Adjt.; D. Becker, Provost Marshal; G. Carlotti, Deputy Provost Marshal. *STANDING:* L. Lechtner, J. Salvia, Treasurer.

The Provost Corps is the Official Military Honorary Society of the Junior and Senior R.O.T.C. classes at Gannon College. It is this organization which holds the Military Ball—a dance which is one of the biggest events on campus.

FUTURE SECOND LIEUTENANTS

SEATED: D. Christenson, H. Langmyer, D. Herzog. *STANDING:* N. Schuhwerk, J. Tingley.

DRILL TEAM

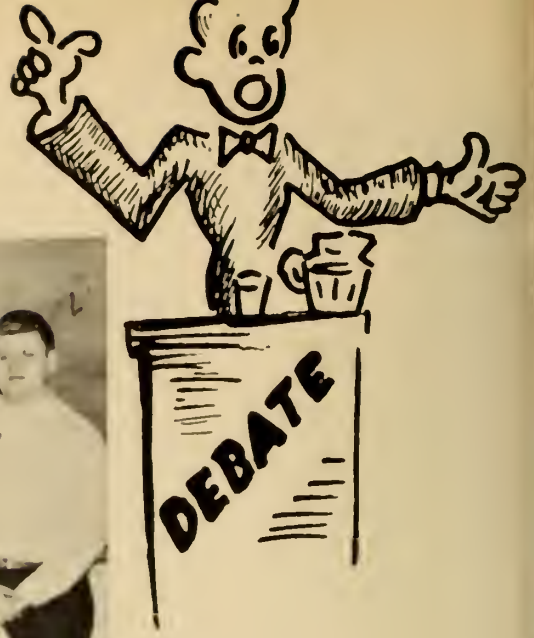
ORDER OF THE FLAMING TORCH

Basic organization of the R.O.T.C. to which all Freshmen and Sophomore R.O.T.C. men are eligible.

Its main purpose is to promote extra-curricular interest in military matters.

DRUM AND BUGLE CORPS

DEMOSTHENES SOCIETY



SEATED: Fred Marcella, J. Knight, D. Goodman, and J. Singer. *STANDING:* J. Proctor, J. Beveridge, Rev. Thomas Griffin, John Beveridge, R. Francis, R. Case.

National Federation of Catholic College Students

SEATED: Father Levis, R. Ward, R. Dowling and R. Francis. *STANDING:* S. Lukasik, R. Bower, J. Martin, D. Reynolds, C. Kraus, Peter Ho and J. Dowling.

Seniors Choose Two For Council Posts

Dowling Elected President of CSA

Science Club Announces Plans for Coming Year

G-K Appointments

STASSEN, THOMAS TO ADDRESS IRC STATE MEETING

Fund Group Buys New Stock

Council President

Debate Club Plans Radio Series, Speakers Bureau

Over 20 Acts To Appear On CSA Program

Lamb Fund Group Elects New Officers

Council Hears

To Address ICG Next Week

Over 30 Students Attend Initial Chess Club Meet

College Head Delivers "State Of the Union" Talk

Hesch Elected To Head S. A. A.

"Our Stake in Korea" IRC Broadcast Topic

ICG Welcomes New Members

Nine Thirteen To "Who's Who

IRC Executive Committee Slates Program

Solons Discuss NSA; Hear Frosh Petition

(By FRED BLISS)

Mil-ball

ACTIVITIES

Junior Prom

C. S. A. Variety Show

St. Pat's Dance

Senior Hallowe'en Party

Eight Ball

Black Magic

Mellow Music

Mixing Pop?

Whoops!

Gee . . .!.

Junior Prom

Charley Barnett

Mil-Ball Committee and their Ladies

Military Ball

The militarists and civilians joined together for an evening of fine dancing at the FIFTH ANNUAL MILITARY BALL, held December 17, in the College Auditorium. Benny Jones and his Orchestra furnished the music to which the Cadets and guests danced. During the intermission, the OFT gave a demonstration of precision drills, and the new Provost Corps members were installed by the Co-ed Colonel. The highlight of the affair was the Commissioning of Miss Pearl Louise Tallow as Co-ed Colonel of the Gannon R.O.T.C. Unit.

Silver Eagles

Hmmmm!!!

May I help you?

Up with the sign!

8=Ball

We danced, danced, . . .

"La Conga"

M.P.C. Birthday Party

The Luncheon

Chow Line

The Dance

Colgate Smile

Senior Halloween Dance

Good Joke?

One way to wash a face!

Prizes to the winners.

Sway

Swing

St. Pat's Dance

Shots Mixed

Friday Morning Mass

CSA Variety Show

Miss R.O.T.C. of 19??

Friday Night Dance

# of Activities

Mummers Day Parade

and her court of beauties.

CSA Variety Show

Bob Conners—M. C. Variety Show.

CSA Father and Son Communion Breakfast.

SPORTS

Seated, l. to r.: D. Timmons, R. Finnecy, P. Snyder, A. Middleton, A. Chrobak, G. Hesch, R. DeCarlo, E. Williams. *Standing, l. to r..* Ass't Coach T. Zambroski, W. Reuscher, W. Newsham, E. Walsh, R. Strand, E. Westerling, L. Moriarty, H. Elwell, W. Bedich, Coach L. Tullio.

CAGERS IN RECORD SEASON

The Golden Knights climaxed the most successful season in Gannon cage history with a spectacular road trip. In the circuit, the Lancers gained victories over Akron U., Buffalo State, W. & J., Western Reserve, and Fredonia during the last two weeks of the campaign. They lost to California S. T. C., in a close 58-59 contest, to spoil a perfect invasion of foreign courts.

Playing against some of the best quintets in the East, the teams' biggest wins were registered against Colby, Buffalo, Rochester, Youngstown, and W. & J.

The Knights played six teams on a home and home basis and came out .500 or better with all but one. Only St. Bonaventure was able to capture two decisions over the Tulliomen. Alliance, Edinboro, and Fredonia succumbed twice while Youngstown and Akron split with the Lancers.

Other losses came at the hands of Canisius, Allegheny, Maryland State, and Clarion.

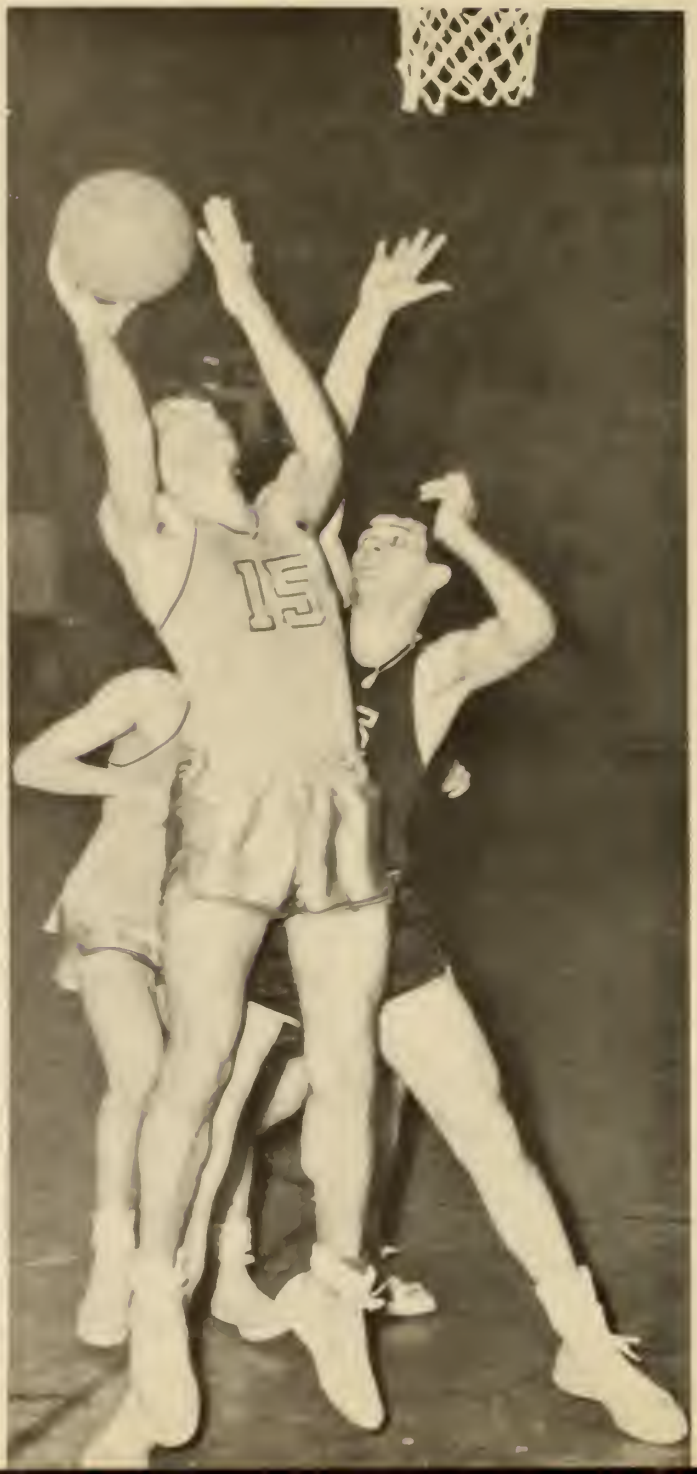
The Golden Boys proved to be just as effective on the road as they were on their home court. On the friendly Auditorium hardwood, they won nine and lost six. They captured eight out of twelve decisions on the road.

P. Snyder

A. Middleton

D. Timmons

R. De Carlo



A. Chrobak

T. Williams

G. Hesch

1952-53 RECORD

Gannon		Opp.
66	Canisius	88
78	Youngstown	72
61	Alliance	44
95	Grove City	87
77	Rochester	73
54	Youngstown	66
59	Allegheny	67
73	Akron	84
69	Colby	62
78	Alliance	60
71	Edinboro	67
43	St. Bonaventure	77
71	Edinboro	68
58	Maryland State	75

Gannon		Opp.
94	Thiel	73
67	Fredonia	46
77	Buffalo U.	63
76	Clarion State	83
59	St. Bonaventure	75
83	John Carroll	97
73	Niagara Falls Air Base	59
78	Buffalo State	76
95	Akron	92
71	W & J	57
57	California State	58
84	Western Reserve	64
80	Fredonia	75

INDIVIDUAL SCORING

	FG	F	TP
Dick DeCarlo	152	99	413
George Hesch	123	115	361
Walt Bedich	101	90	292
Art Middleton	94	95	283
Al Chrobak	77	31	185
Ted Williams	51	50	154
Dutch Timmons	38	41	117
Reno Strand	18	8	44
Paul Snyder	13	8	34

	FG	F	TP
Bob Finnecy	3	15	21
Ed Walsh	8	3	19
Howie Elwell	6	5	17
Len Morarity	2	2	6
Ed Westerling	2	1	5
Bill Newsham	2	0	4
Bob Wigham	1	0	2
Bill Reuscher	0	1	1

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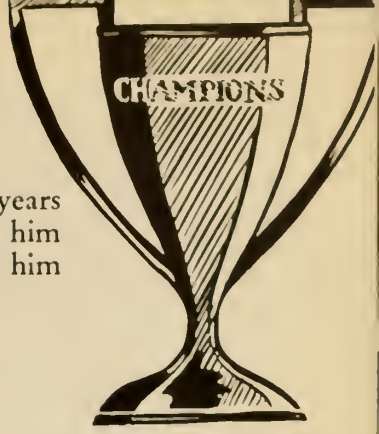


Arthur Middleton
"Art"

Four seasons on the varsity and co-captain in his Junior and Senior years made Art the leader of the Gannon offense. His defensive wizardry made him doubly dangerous. Standing only 6-2, his timing and terrific spring made him our top rebounder.

Alex Chrobak
"Gramps"

Al's smooth brand of ball payed off many times in close games. A zone defense was his meat; his set shots made many an opponent's defense fall apart. He was co-captain the past two campaigns. Al was named "Athlete of the Year" in 1952.

George Hesch
"Ace"

Flashy passes and accurate set shots are synonymous with George. An all-around player, "Ace's" most spectacular bit of court mastery is his driving lay-up shot. Only a Sophomore, George will see to it that Gannon's win column is well padded in the next two years.

Richard De Carlo
"Deke"

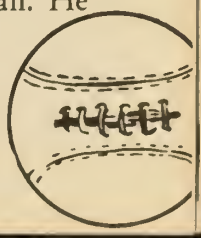
Gannon's most prolific scorer. Holder of the school scoring record in his Freshman year, "Deke" came back and broke it again in this, his Sophomore year. The past season he scored 413 points and averaged 18 points a game.

Edward Williams
"Ted"

Ted's soft hook shot got the Gannon team out of trouble many times. His height under the boards was a valuable asset to the team. He is also an excellent defensive man, he guarded many an opponent like Fort Knox.

Walter Bedich
"Ton"

The Freshman sensation, Walt played like an old pro all the way. He was the main offensive sparkplug at the beginning of the season. "Ton" plays an alert, rough brand of ball. He ended up the season in third spot in the scoring derby.



Dwight Timmons
"Dutch"

Dutch, according to cage language, is classified as a dead shot. His one hand push shot was a potent weapon at close range. Hitting from the sides, he helped engineer the Buffalo U. upset by coming off the bench to tally 22 points.

Robert Finnecy
"Fin"

Although he did not score often, Fin set up many scores with his ball handling and all-around floor play. He was one of our better defensive men.

Paul Snyder
"Pablo"

A graduate from the Gannon Intramural League, Paul's left handed hook, combined with his speed and sharp passing, made him a valuable piece of real estate.

GOLF

L. to r.: G. Heinz, E. Westerling, A. Chrobak, A. Jesinski, E. Walsh.

Featuring an all-underclassman team, the golfers of Gannon breezed through a very successful season during the Spring of '52. With the addition of a Freshman sensation in the person of Ed Walsh, of Sharon, Pa., they should wax hotter this season. Ed Westerling, former Erie East swinger, as number one man, and Alex Chrobak in the second slot, give our team the most potent one-two punch in the N.W. Pa. district. Art Jesinski, George Heinz, and Gene Kawana can always be counted on to break even or to out-point their opponents.

GANNON BOWLING LEAGUE

OFFICERS: G. Popp, Pres.; Rev. C. Lubiak, Vice-Pres.; D. Grieshober, Sec.

The Gannon Bowling League has become the school's most popular intra-mural sport. The league boasts eight five man teams. The winning team is honored at the annual bowling banquet. The season is highlighted by the Intercollegiate Bowling Tournament. In the past three years, Gannon bowlers have taken tournament honors with two first place trophies and one second place trophy.

CHAMPS

Left to right: D. Grieshober, W. LaCour, T. Gaduski, G. Popp, L. Lynch.

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average—176

G. Popp
average—172

J. Moser
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D. Grieshober
average—181

S. Powell
average—190

SPORTS NIGHT

L. Cyterski

Senior Pres. J. McCarty; Soph. Pres., C. Verdecchia, Share Trophy.

D. Timmons.

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Spirit, never quite so apparent at Gannon, was generated by the re-appearance of Sports Night after a two year rest period. Though many aching knees, elbows, and assorted muscles resulted, a good time was had by all.

The present Senior Class, mythical champs because of a Sports Night victory in their Freshman year, found the Sophomores not too impressed by the apparent athletic ability of their elders. The young lads staged a last ditch surge in the final event—the eight lap relay—to take first place while the Seniors had to be content with a third.

The Freshmen took on the spoiler's role. Though deficient in their point total, their relay team came from far behind to edge the Seniors for second place and dropped them into a tie for first place with the Sophomores.

Although strictly for amateurs, there were a few slightly terrific performances. Sophomore, Len Cyterski, found time at the quarter of the Senior-Junior basketball game to take a first place in the standing-broad jump with a leap of 9′6″ and also edged the field in the 25 yard dash. Then Dutch Timmons, an aging Senior, put the shot 43′3″. Another tired Senior, Art Middleton, surprised the crowd by having little difficulty in clearing the high jump bar at 5′6″ and because all were eliminated, retired for another long period of lethargy.

It was strictly a two class rivalry. The Freshmen taking a first place in volleyball, faltered in the individual events. Though responsible for dirupting Senior victory plans, they took a distant third place. The Juniors also ran.

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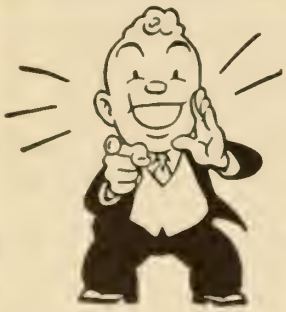

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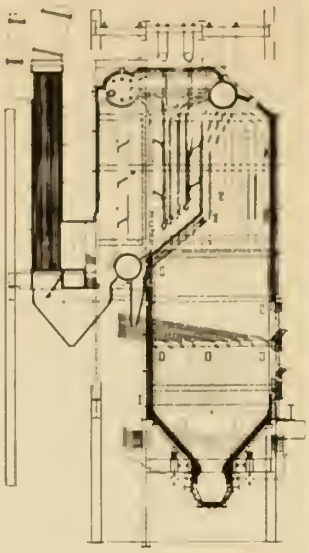

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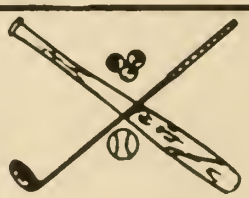

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